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TITLE OF INVENTION Method and Arrangement of Impingement for Blowing Compensation of a  
Tendency of Curling of a Paper Board Web to be Treated as well as a Paper or Board Machine

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7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
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11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
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PCT Cover Sheet (2 pp) and Copy of International Application (specification and claims 25 pages; 3 sheets of formal drawings)  
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